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UNWRAPPING WEDDING GIFTS . . . at a reception in their honor after their marriage last Saturday at the South Bay Church of God are the new Mr. and Mrs. Eschol Hacker, nee Miss Pat Gish. The young couple honeymooned in Northern California and plan to make their home in Torrance.



(Herald Photo)
MRS. DAVID HURFORD
... Named Las Vecinas Presy

Las Vecinas Will Install Mrs. Hurford as President

Mrs. David Hurford, 5427 Reese Rd., will take office as 1953-54 president of Las Vecinas Woman's Club at formal installation ceremonies at the Redondo Beach Woman's Clubhouse next Thursday, June 25.

The new leader, who succeeds Mrs. Max Webber, has served the club as first vice-president during the past year. Mrs. Webber will be installed as parliamentarian at the Thursday rites.

Others who will take office are Mesdames Robert Pinkney, first vice-president; Philip Downing, second vice-president; Glenn Grimsley, recording secretary; Harry Walker, corresponding secretary; Robert Presley, treasurer; Peter Jurisich, historian.

Clayton Geiger, ways and means chairman; John Diehl, welfare chairman; Kenneth Dudley, youth chairman; R. T. Boutwell, publicity chairman; Thomas O'Malley, membership chairman; George Smith, community projects chairman.



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GAL WITH BRAINS . . . Miss Kathleen Geraghty, daughter of the Robert Geraghtys, 2016 Kathy Way, receives the scholarship presented annually to an outstanding student at Nativity Catholic School from Court St. Catherine, Catholic Daughters of America. Presenting the certificate is Mrs. Lyle J. O'Hara, past grand regent of the court. Miss Geraghty, who also received the mathematics award at graduation ceremonies last Friday night, will use the scholarship to further her education at Plus X, a Catholic high school in Earamount.

Pioneer Motif Featured At Stork Shower

The 2841 Sonoma Ave. home of Mrs. Swayne Johnson was transformed into a scene from early-America Wednesday night last week when she and her daughter, Jackie, shared the hostess role at a stork shower honoring her niece, Mrs. Robert Hibbard.

The honoree sat in a typical old rocking chair to open gifts for the anticipated infant, which were piled high in an old-fashioned cradle. A kerosene lamp like those used in pioneer days lighted the room.

Invited guests at the affair were Mesdames Almada Hibbard, R. W. Lowe, Vern Funk, V. W. Johnson, Gerald Ribbom, J. M. Litteral, William Jeffery, George Standford, Robert Lowe, Gar Johnson, John Safady, Mar-

Music Pupils Win Honors

Eight Torrance students of piano scored grades in the superior and excellent classifications when they played memorized programs in Long Beach at the YWCA during the week's auditions of the "National Musicians Guild."

Eight-year-old Judy Adams received her local pin and certificate for her first audition. Seven-year-old Jimmie Roberts and Jackie Scherer received district pins and certificates.

State pins and certificates were received by LaVerne Lewis and Judy Lee Bowlds.

Receiving pins and certificates in the national classification were Charles Clayton Hill Strohm and Linda Wiese. Linda also presented Patrick Manning with district honors as her student.

ian Monson, William R. Johnson Sr., William R. Johnson Jr., and children, Gail and Glen, and the honoree.

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June Pageant To Feature Lomita Youth

Talented teen and "trained tonies" of Ernie Kittrell, 20-year-old student of Mrs. Nadine Nickol of Torrance will be featured at the annual summer pageant of Richard-Martin dance studio in Anaheim, to be held at 8 p.m. June 30 at the studio.

The young Lomita lad will present solo dances and vocal selections, and also will team with Mary Ann Zamperro of Lomita and Anita Schultz of Anaheim in two comedy acts.

A member of the Hollywood Variety Troupe, Kittrell has toured New Mexico presenting shows at Air Force bases, and recently completed a show with Larry Crosby at the Camp Pendleton Marine Base. He also has performed for many local clubs and benefits and made several radio and television appearances.

Other local songbirds, all students of Mrs. Nickol, who will appear in the pageant, are Miss Sandra Gish, Mickel Turner, Miss Ruth Ellen Larson, Mike Daisy, and Miss Deanna Shrivet.



ERNIE KITTRELL
... To Take Pageant Spotlight

Del Amo PTA Seats Leaders

Mrs. Noboru Nakatani, new president of Del Amo PTA, and those who will serve with her during 1953-54, took office formally Wednesday night last week following a potluck dinner held at the school.

Installed with Mrs. Nakatani were Mesdames Elsie Rush, first vice-president; Vivian W. Strand, second vice-president; Tadasani Yoshioka, secretary; Sterling Magill, treasurer; Hiroshi Shikuma, auditor; Ototaro Yamamoto, historian; and George Giardina, parliamentarian.

Officiating at the rites were Mrs. James A. Gauley, outgoing president.

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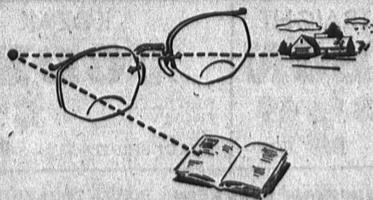
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